GENERAL NEWS OF THE CITY

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THE WASHINGTON MONUMENT SOCIETY

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Miscellaneous Paragraphs of Interest

Weather probabilities, estimated at 1 a. m For South Atlantic and East Gulf States, rising barometer, northerly to easterly winds, cooler and clear weather, and in southern portions occasional rains. For Middle States and New England, rising, followed by falling barometer, cool northerly winds, shifting to warmer westerly, southerly and clear weather.

Thermometric readings taken May 23, 1875, at the Signal Office: 7 a. m., 54°; 7:35 a. m., 63°; 2 p. m., 54°; 4:35 p. m., 56°; 9 p. m., 58°; 11 p. m., 53°. Maximum, 68°; minimum, 63°. For court proceedings see third page. Behrend's Patent Catarrh cigar sure cure.

Hair-cloth hats, \$2 and \$2.50, at Stinemeta's, 1237 Pennsylvania avenue.

Knox's white beaver hats now ready at Stinemets's, agent for this city. Silk umbrellas, for gentlemen and ladies, at Stinemets's, 1237 Pennsylvania aveque.

Try Marburg Bros. Seal of North Carolina Smoking Tobacco, 10 and 20 cent packages. R. B. Ferguson, pharmacist, corner Second street and Pennsylvania avenue, Capitol Hill. Mackinaw straw hats and boys' and children's straw hats at Stinmeta's, 1237 Pennsylvania ave

Trusses, \$1: also all the homeopathic medi All kinds of trunks made to order, repaired and

severed at McMurrays' 505 Pennsylvania avenne Market Space. Mr. Algernon S. Vose, of the Adjutant Gene ral's office, War Department, has been promote from a first to a second class clerkship.

The Bakers' Association held their annual pa-rade through the streets yesterday afternoon and a picnic at Leeffler's Garden in the evening. The Youths' Gazette, published in this city by Master Garner, is out for May. It is one of the best amateur sheets in the country.

H. D. Cooke, jr., &, Co., P street near the Treasury, do a general banking business and buy and sell District securities. Catarrh, nervous and chronic diseases-Dr Hartley will be compelled to decline new patients after next month, Office, 936 E street, near Tenth northwest.

cameron & can Meranguicile wall, and how can any surpass or equal Dooley's delicious cream sods water, at 223 Pennsylvania avenue, Capitol Hill?
Avenue cars pass the door. cars pass the door.

J. H. Squier & Co , bankers, 1416 Pennsylvania ble on demand. Special rates on time deposits. Interest paid January and July, or credited. The NATIONAL REPUBLICAN book and job printing office is one of the largest and best ap-pointed job offices south of New York. All kinds of job work are promptly executed there on the most advantageous terms. Officer Hinkle yesterday arrested a notorious colored thief named James Mackall, near the

Last night Officer Smoot picked up a small Italian boy on Seventh street, who had strayed from his home on Capitol Hill. He was restored to his mother. The Sir Knights of Columbia Commandery are

trilling nightly at the Masonie Temple and preparing for the Philadelphia trip. The annual exhibition of drawing and penmar ship of the public schools of Washington will be held at the Franklin School building, on Friday, the 26th instant, from 1 to 4 o'clock p. m. Colonel Joseph S. Ruckel, late of Oregon, died

at 402 Sixth street northwest at 5:30 a. m. on the 23d instant of acute peritonitis. Notice of fune-ral will be given in Thursday's papers. The Little Rock and Washington base ball clubs, two juvenile organizations in the northern part of the city, played a match game yesterday afternoon at Ninth street and Rhode Island avenue. The Little Rocks came off the victors by a

played between the Mutual and Howard University Base Bail clubs yesterday, which resulted in a score of 15 to 17, in favor of the Howard Univer-sity Base Ball Club.

Master Harry Shannon, the child elecutionist of Aracostia, is meeting with the success due his wenderful talents wherever he goes. He appeared hast evening in Martinsburg, West Virginia, before a crowded house. The History of the Public Schools from August,

1805, to August, 1875, by Samuel Yorke At Lee, has made its appearance in neat pamphlet form, and contains a vast amount of valuable informa-tion regarding our excellent school system down to the present time.

yesterday : Robert H. Reynolds and Maggie A. Cook, Philip Holmes and Sarah Ashton, John W. Murray and Emma V. Bouglass, Jacob C.Thomas and Sarah Dickson, Thomas B. Hall and Rachel A. Barnes, and John W. McCleish and Mary J. Guilford White, editor of the Boys' Journal

J. Guilford White, editor of the Boys Journal published at Alexandria, Va., is now the sole proprietor and manager of that lively little sheet. The Journal comes out this week looking better than ever in its new dress, and with the pluck and enterprise of its new owner, it is destined to become one of the most popular amateur journals published.

street, Baltimore, advertising agents, receive adertisements for any paper at publisher's lowest ates. Merchants and others in that city desiring

to advertise in Washington papers will find files at their office. These gentlemen have made many friends and patrons in their line of business. A meeting of the National Veteran Club was held at their rooms, in the Le Droit building, last evening, Col. J. S. Tichener presiding. Over fifty applications for membership were received, last evening, Col. J. S. Tichenor presiding. Over fifty applications for membership were received, and the organization will undoubtedly embrace all the veteran ex-soldiers in the District before a great while. The club has been in existence four years, and already consists of over two hundred members. They attended the national soldiers' convention at Pittsburg four years ago in a body, and it is their intention to attend the convention at Indianapolis in September. No business of importance was transacted.

The Pennsylvania Route

will sell tickets to the Presidential nominating conventions as follows: To Cincinnate, \$15.25 from June 5 to 15th; coupons going good until 15th, in-clusive; returning, good until June 25, inclusive. For St. Louis convention tickets will be sold a \$23.25 from June 15 to 25th, inclusive; coupons going good until June 28, inclusive, and returning coupons good until July 10, inclusive.

Inspector Thomas Plowman yesterday issued the following building permits: Geo. S. Krafft, three three-story brick dwellings, north side G. between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets northwest; \$8,500. S. D. Phillips, seven two-story brick dwellings, east side Stath, between S and T streets northwest; \$7,000. F. F. McCathran, a frame dwelling, west side Tenth, between E and G streets southeast; \$100. Edward Dickerson, a two-story brick dwelling, east side Eleventh, between R and S streets northwest: \$1,600. Mrs. Hidinger, a frame kitchen, Sixti street southeast, between Pennsylvania avenue street southeast, between Pennsylvania avenue and D street; \$330. C. F. Smithson, two two-story brick dwellings, north side M, between Four-and-a-half and Sixth streets southwest; \$2,500. — MecNemeny, a two-story frame dwelling, south side L, between Four-and-a-half and Sixth streets southwest; \$375. Charles Stoot, a three story and basement brick store, south side Pennsylvania avenue, between Four-and-a-half and Sixth streets southwest; \$12,000. Mrs, Julia Henson, improvement in house north side F, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets northwest; \$359.

Pennsylvania Republican Association Last evening a weil-attended meeting of the Republican voters of the State of Punnsylvania was arsembled at Marini's hall. Major J. T. Power filled the office of chairman, and called the meeting to order, stating that the meeting was called for the purpose of tendering to Hon. James Donald Cameron a reception in honor of his ap-

pointment as Secretary of War. Mr. E. R. Chapman tendered the following preamble and resolutions; which were adopted: preamble and resolutions; which were adopted:
Whereas the President of the United States
has called to the counsels of the nation as one of
his constitutional advisers an honored son of Pennsylvania, the Hon. James Bonald Cameron; and
whereas we as Pennsylvanians now at the seat of
Government, are desirous of testifying in some
suitable manner fur high appreciation of the
honor thus conferred upon one of our most
worthy, influential and reliable citizens; therefore
Resolved, That the president of this association be, and he is hereby, directed to communicate with the Hon. J. D. Cameron and tender
him a complimentary reception, as a testimonial
of the estimation in which he is held by his fellow-citisens of Pennsylvania tempor-"'v residing

him a complimentary reception, as a testimonial of the estimation in which he is held by his fellow-citizens of Pennsylvania tempore "v residing in Washington.

Resolved, That a committee of thirveen be appointed to make all necessary arrangements for carrying out the wishes of the association in this regard, in case the honorable Secretary accepts the tender herein provided for.

The following gentlemen were elected on the committee: E. R. Chapman, A. A. Shissler, Paul Hirsk, H. A. Myers, J. P. Jeffries, L. Harrison, W. H. Turner, E. W. Oyster, I. H. Patterson, C. C. Cassey, Jos. M. Wilson, J. H. L. Eager, and E. L. Grant.

Mr. Cathgart moved that a committee be appointed to meet the members of the German Reform Church of York and adjacent towns, who will arrive in this city to-day.

The motion was adopted, and the following gentlemen appointed upon the committee: Dr. Cathgart, A. A. Shissier, Paul Hirsh, E. R. Chapman, Wherley, McDowell, Eager, Doty, Minor, Dormer, Kinney, Armstrong and Robb.

The meeting then adjourned.

THE AGED WOMEN'S HOME.

Probably there is not an institution for benevo-ent purposes carried on and supported by public donation more interesting and deserving than the Aged Women's Home of Georgetown. Under the management of the ladies of that city it has grown and prospered until it is partially self-sustaining, and, while being a monument for charitable boquests, it gives forth unqualified

An Interesting Tes-Party for the Inmates.

sustaining, and, while being a monument for charitable bequests, it gives forth unqualified evidence of the good use to which all bestowals are applied. The lady managers, actuated by the best of motives, have lent their constant presence and support to the home and built up an institution that will henceforth spread volumes of praise for their noble-hearted labors in behalf of the aged and infirm. With love for the inmates, and a desire to contribute as much enjoyment to them in their declining years as possible, they are ever studying out either some noveity or other project that will bring them pleasure.

The latest event was a tea party to Miss Smith, last Monday evening, in commemoration of her nicety-sixth birthday. A remembrance fraught with great pleasure to the old lady, and a kindness that will never be forgotten by her while the sands of life continue to run on.

At the table there was present of the lady managers Mrs. George Hill, jr., Miss Mary Thompson, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Owens, and Mrs. Ensington, who perfected the arrangements for the tea party, and found delight in witnessing the happiness of the inmates of the Home.

At the request of the lady who was thus honored, invitations had been sent to several persons to unite with her in the celebration; among them her pastor, Rev. Mr. Norris, and class-leader, Mr. Wilson, but the heavy rain of the evening deterred many from responding. Some, however, braved the storm, and found themselves amply repaid for so doing. Among them was Postmaster George Hill, jr., who was assigned the post of honor at the foot of the table, directly opposite his wife, at the head. The old ladles were assigned seats on each side, and it may be interesting to note the ages of each, and show how leniently time is dealing with them: Miss Smith, 9¢, Mrs. Lynch, 70; Miss Beckle Steele, 65; Mrs. Queen, 9¢, Mrs. Kelly, 70; Mrs. Buzsard, 60; Elien Queen, 9¢, Mrs. Kelly, 70; Mrs. Buzsard, 60; Elien Queen, 9¢, Mrs. Kelly, 70; Mrs. Buzsard, 60; Elien Queen, 9¢, Mrs. Kelly, 70; Mrs. Bu

to each.

Notwithstanding the aivanced life they have all attained, many of them are quite spry and active, and capable of doing light work, being especially handy with the needle. The tea-party proved highly enjoyable to all, and many carnest and sincere wishes were expressed that Miss Smith might enjoy repeated anniversaries of her birth and become a centenarian.

ON THE WING.

Exhibition by the Game Association. The committee of the Game Association having in charge the exhibition to be given at Bright wood park on the 30th instant met last evening to complete arrangements for the day. Letters were received from Captain A. H. Bogardus making his presence on the day a certain thing tion will embrace the trial of breechonding shot guns, which will be held during the carly portion of the day, and for which a great many guns have been entered. This test will be appreciated by sportsmen, in connection with other tests in different parts of the country, as helping to determine the precise comparative merits of the different makes of breech-loading

guns.

The pigeon matches will be not the least interesting feature of the city, as many excellent wing shots have entered for the contest. Capt. Both gardus, the champion wing shot of the world, will give an exhibition of his wonderful akult will use of the gun. use of the gun.

The exhibition will be a novel one in the District and the probably do much towards creating in interests in all sports with the gun and rifle.

The following sub-committee were appointed by

s The following sub-committee were appointed by the general committee; On Birds and Traps—Tappan and Mills. Stages and Printing—Marr and Tappan. Preparing Targets, Frame and Penetration-frame—Wheeler and Davis. Reception, Grounds, &c.—Champlin, Van Ar-nold and Bell. Entries and Financial Matters—Tappan, Mills and S. C. Barker. To Superintend Gun-frame and Loading—N. nd Gun-frame and Loading-N On the Rerult of Gun-trial-Marr, Bell and Wheeler.

Wheeler.
Scorer for Trap-shooting—J. N. Davis, jr.
Referee—Captain A. H. Bogardus.
In the pigeon-shooting powder ad libitum and
shot not to exceed one-and-a-quarter ounce size,
at option of shooter, will be allowed.
Committee on Handicapping—Tappan, Marr
and Williams. and Williams.

Hirds are not to be gathered until each match is
over, unless challenged. Positively no skirmishing allowed on the grounds, under penalty of ex-

H. CLAY FORD'S BENEFIT.

An Elegant Entertainment Proposed for the

29th of May. Towsontown, Mb., May 19, 1876. H. Clay Ford, esq., Manager National Theatre: My DRAR SIR: Learning through some friend in Washington, and subsequently through its kind and celebrated press, that it is the intention of its citizens to tender you a complimentary benefit at an early day, I most cheerfully tender my ser-vices, in the hope that they may be accepted. Our many relations of manager and actor has been marked by a liberal kinduess on one side and an equivalent respect on the other. My acquaintance with you from boyhood to the present time, my respect and kindly feeling for you and yours, prompt me in making this proposal. I leave to you the selection of the plays in which I am to Yours, very trury,

JOHN E. OWENS. REPLY OF H. CLAY FORD, ESQ. MASHINGTON, May 20, 1876.

MY RESPECTED FRIEND: The kind offer contained in your flattering note of yesterday fills me with a gratitude hard to express in language, your kindly reference to our repeated relations especially so. I accept, with sincere thanks, your generous offer, and would respectfully suggest that you appear in "The Victims" and "Solon Shingle" on Monday, May 29, 1876.

Gratefully yours.

H. CLAY FORD. WASHINGTON, May 20, 1876.

Tenth Anniversary of the Wayland Seminary. The exercises of the tenth anniversary of Way-

land Seminary will take place at the new build ing on Meridian hill this evening. The order of exercises will be as follows:

Singing: Invocation; Singing; "The Welcome," E. H. Boulden, Portsmouth, Va.; "Christian Citizenship," Perry Pulley, Salisbury, Md.; "The Memory of Our Fathers," Henry C. Jones, Montgomery county, Va.; Singing; "The Country's Great Evil," F. N. Mead, Halifax county, Va.: "Keeping at 1t," A. P. Daniel, Raleigh county, W. Va.; "Faith in the Unseen," J. R. Banks, Albemarie county, Va.; Singing; "Folly of Infidelity," A. D. G. Raddick, Brattleboro, Vt.; "The Work Before Us," E. A. Randolph, Richmond, Va.; "Good Nature—What a Blessing," R. H. Porter, Wythe county, Va.; Singing; "Our Giffs to History," Walter J. Scott, New York; "Encle Sam's a Hundred," George W. Hardmond, Richmond, Va.; "The Nation's Centennial," Walter A. Seott, Salem, Va.; Singing; "Life is What We Make It," Chas. N. Fryor, Georgetown, D. C.; "The Farewell," John M. Roston, New Haven, Conn.; Singing; Benediction. ing on Meridian hill this evening. The order of

About 1 o'clock Sunday morning Mrs. Gately iving at the corner of Third and B streets north east, heard a noise in the store on the first floor and on going to the glass door leading from the and on going to the glass door leading from the rear room into the store, saw two colored men in the store. Upon attempting to go in one of the colored men threatened her with a drawn knife if she gave an alarm. The colored men made their escape, and the fact was reported to police head-quariers. Detectives McDevitt and McEliresh yesterdny arrested Henry Gatewood as one of the men, and the prisoner did not deny the charge. He was taken to the Pelice Court, and the case was continued.

Centennial Strawberries.

Everybody admits that the Centennial is a big thing, but everybody cannot go to the Centen-nial; the next big thing is the strawberry festival at E-street Baptist church, to which everybod; can go, and get well repaid for going, too. De licious strawberries, the richest of cream, myriads of beautiful flowers, bevies of charming ladies and all the other heavenly gifts are so combined as to give one a genuine fair taste of paradise, and, true to Baptist principles, all visitors are thoroughly immersed in all the enjoyment of the entertainment. Remember, to-night is the last night.

B. H. Warner, real estate broker and auction-eer, sold at auction, yesterday afternoon, for Wm. F. Mattingly, esq., trustee, lot 22, in square 197 fronting 25 feet on the west side of Fifteenth street, between L and M streets northwest, by a depth of 94 feet, to John Thompson, at eighty-two cents per square foot. Also, for Messrs. Wm. Stickney and B. P. Snyder, trustees, part of lot 9, square 214, fronting 20 feet 9 inches on the east side of Fifteenth street, between L and M streets northwest, containing 4.78s square feet, to Jas. Thomas, at eighty cents per square foot.

Anction Sales To-day.

By B. H. Warner.
At 2:30 o'clock, valuable unimproved property
on the south side of K street, between Twentyfourth and Twenty-inth streets northwest. By Geo. W. Stickney: At 5:28 o'clock, a two-story brick dwelling and stable on the west side of Ninth street, between N and O streets northwest.

By John W. Alvord and Geo. W. Stickney, trustreet.

tees: At 12 o'clock, valuable property in Princ Jeorge's county, Md. George's county, Md.

By E. J. Sweet:

At 5:30 o'clock, a two-story brick dwelling on south side of E street, between Four-and-a-half and Sixth streets northwest.

By Young & Middleton:

At 5 o'clock, two valuable brick houses on the west side of Twelfth, between T and W streets northwest.

By Duncanson Bros.:
At 10 o'clock, at the coal yard corner Fourth
and Washington streets, one steam engine, saw,
shafting, &c., seales, lot of pine wood, one horse
and cart and one mule and cart.

By John Glenn, R. Snowden Andrews and T. S. Rhett, trustees:
At 10 o'clock, valuable real estate in Prince George's county, Md.

By H. W. Garnatt and Jas. S. Payne, trustees:
At 6 o'clock, valuable improved property on K street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets northwest.

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WASHINGTON MONUMENT. A Slander Refuted by "One Who Knows" What

He States To Be True. The following letter is from an officer of the Washington Monument Society whose word is highly valued by every one who has the honor of

To the Editor of the National Republican: Sin: I am somewhat in doubt whether I ought to notice the article on the Washington Monuent in the NATIONAL REPUBLICAN of the 19th inst., as it is nothing but a rehash of an old, stale slander that is ever and anon set affoat by certain ersons who are not over careful of what they say: out to put this matter now and forever at rest will make a brief, plain statement, that ought to prevent any one having the slightest regard for truth from ever again renewing the unfounded and gross imputation upon the characters of the gentlemen who have had the management of the conument funds from the foundation to the pres

"X" does not deny the appeals to the country to all the sources designated in my first communication to you; but thinks that I have adopted nisnomer because I do not agree with him why he appeals for money to finish the monument ave not been heeded. have not been heeded.

He states that want of confidence in the management is the cause, and that twice as much money has been collected as was necessary to complete the monument, and he says that

THE FIRST INTELLIGENT MAN
met in the street, if asked, would tell you so,
venture to say, and challenge "X" to produce his
that no intelligent man who has the least se
respect would indorse any such assertion. T
statement is simply untrue, without the slighte
foundation in fact; and, that the public may
convinced what I say and profess to know is upstatement is simply untrue, without the slightest foundation in fact; and, that the public may be convinced what I say and profess to know is upon unquestionable authority, I will submit, for the information of "X." the following extracts from reports to Congress, after a thorough investigation into the operations of the society.

The report made during the Thirty-third Congress by a select committee, of which the late Hon. Henry May was chairman, states:

" " "It may well be questioned if any society, executing a plan for collecting money so extensively, has met with equal success in justifying the integrity of its agents. And it is pleasing to state that not one cent of the funds received by this seciety has at any time been lost by investment, or otherwise. " " The work, so far as it has been performed, has been faithfully done. It appears to be plain, yet beautiful, and your committee are satisfied that it will be enduring. " The duties of this society have demanded the constant attention of its members, and it is very gratifying to the committee to state that neither the president, vice presidents, treasurer, secretary nor any of the managers or members have, from its institution, received or desired that neither the president, vice presidents, t-urer, secretary nor any of the managers or r-bers have, from its institution, received or de-nation of the president of the president of the been, and will continue to be, wholly gratai any compensation whatever. Their services have been, and will continue to be, wholly grantitous.
"We unanimously approve the plan of this monument and of the work that has been already done, and we bear cheerful testimony to the energy, integrity, economy and patriotic love which have animated and governed the transactions of this society, and especially we commend the design of building this monument by the voluntary contributions of the people of the United States.
"We do not intend to disturb this happy arrangement, or withdraw from the exclusive jurisdiction and control of so faithful a society the completion of a work so well begun and prosecuted; we trust, and we doubt not, that it will go on, with continued attention on the part of the

on, with continued attention on the part of the board of managers, and of the people of the whole made by our late representative in Congress, the Hon. N. P. Chipman, chairman of a select committee during the Forty-third Congress, the following extract is taken:

"An examination of the accounts of the society from its organization will show that the officers connected with the society have received no salary, and that the charge sometimes made that the funds of the society were absorbed in the payment of shecture. has no following the committee see he feason to doubt the conclusion arrived at by the committee of which Mr. May was chairman, made to Congress in 1856, which was to the effect that the society had exercised a careful scrutiny in the appointment of its agents, and PROM A REPORT to the effect that the society had exercised a care-ful scrutiny in the appointment of its agents, and although an opinion then prevailed to the con-trary, the committee were satisfied that those agents generally proved wor's yof the confidence reposed in them. Upon an examination made by a committee of this House during the last Con-gress a similar conclusion was reached, and your committee find no cause for doubting the accuracy of these reports."

committee and no cause for doubting the accuracy of these reports."

The accounts of the monument, showing the receipts and expenditures, have been again and again examined, and no fault has ever been found with them, and the society is willing at any time to submit to any investigation that may be instituted. They dread no scrutiny, but, on the contrary, invite it.

AS TO THE VERY REFINED SUGGESTION AS TO THE VERY REFINED SUGGESTION
of "X" that the members of the society should
"step down and out," and let others take their
places who would complete the work within the
next twelve months, I can assure him that nothing would afford the members more pleasure than
to surrender the monument to the control and
management of any gentlemen who would give
assurance of completing it within the period
specified by "X," or even thrice that length of
time. I am sorry to have felt it to be my duty to trespass so largely upon your kindness, in occupying such a considerable space of your paper, but hope that this will be the last occasion I shall have to ask a similar favor in relation to the monument.

ONE WHO KNOWS.

The Temperance Mass Meeting. The meeting of the temperance orders of the District, with their friends, at the Congregational church, Tenth street, this evening, to take action on Senator Wright's prohibitory bill for the District, promises to be a success. There will be a good music and good speaking. Rev. Mr. Jocelyn, president of the Michigan State Univereity, Hon. D. P. Holloway and other gentlen sity, hen. D. F. Rolloway and seven grouped of a will deliver addresses. There is a prospect of a large attendance. Every man, woman and child in the District who has any just conseption of the evils of spirit drinking should make it a point to attend, and aid in giving proper expression to the public sentiment in reference to the liquor traffic.

CITY ITEMS.

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Whole tax on part of lot 8 and improvements, in square No. 525, assessed to Alexander T. Au gusta, \$15.62. Being the east sixteen feet six inches front of said lot. Whole tax on let 7 and improvements, in square No. 559, assessed to Alexander T. Augusta, \$50.00. Whole tax on sub lot \$7, in square No.669, asset to Alexander T. Augusta, \$2.13.

Whole tax on sub lot 65, in square No.669, assessed to Alexander T. Augusto, \$1.07. Whole tax on sub lot 89, in square No.869, asses to Alexander T. Augusta, \$1.07. Whole tax on part of lot 13 and improvements, in square No. 818, assessed to Alexander T. Au-gusta, \$23.28. Fronting seventeen test six inches, adjoining the north fifteen feet ten inches front of said lot. Whole tax on sub lot 6 and improvements, in square No. 251, assessed to Addie D. Adams, \$134.28.

Whole tax on sub lot 1 and improvements, in square No. 829, assessed to Almira J. Augherton, \$17.10. Whole tax on part of lot 2, in square No. 498, assessed to Ann E. Arnold, \$1.50. Being sixteen, feet by twenty-five feet of said lot, immediately in the rear of the south sixteen feet of lot twenty-eight. Whole tax en part of lot 28 and improvements, in square No. 496, assessed to Ann E. Arnold, 415.50. Being the south sixteen feet ten inches front of said lot.

w nole tax on lot 31 and improvements, in square No. 40%, ascessed to Albert Anderson and G. Z. Collison, trustees for Barbara Anderson, \$18.18. Whole tax on part of lot 20, in square No. 173, assessed to Charles F. Adams, jr., \$1.22. Being the south fifteen feet two and one half inches of said lot. Whole tax on part of lot 10 and improvements, in square No. 118, assessed to the American Bap-tist Home Mission Society, \$81.03. Being the west thirty-four feet three and one half inches of said lot. Whole tax on lot 1 and improvements, in square No. 91, assessed to Columbus Alexander, \$60.51. Whole tax on lot 2, in square No. 91, assessed to Columbus Alexander, \$23,07. Whole tax on lot 3, in square No. 91, assessed to Columbus Alexander, \$28.91.

Whole tax on lot 4, in square No. 91, assessed to Columbus Alexander, \$37.97. Whole tax on part of sub lot 2, in square No. 168, assessed to Columbus Alexander, \$19.31. Being the south thirteen feet front of said lot by the Whole tax on sub lot 20, in square No.743, assessed to Columbus Alexander, \$8.06. Second half of tax on sub lot E and improvements, in square No. 371, assessed to Caroline C. Allen and Maris L. Page, \$75.99. Second half of tax on sub lot F and imp Allen and Maria L. Page, \$75.99. Second half of tax on sub lot G and improve-ments, in square No. 371, assessed to Caroline C. Allen and Maria L. Page, \$75.99.

Whole tax on sub lot 25, in square No. 358, assessed to Crawford C. Adams, \$9.41. Whole tax on part of sub lot 58, in square No. 364, assessed to Crawford C. Adams, \$1.77. Being the west ten feet nine inches front of said lot. Whole tax on sub lot 59 and improvements, in square No. 364, assessed to Crawford C. Adams, Whole tax on lot 29 and improvements, in reserva tion No. 10, assessed to the American Coloniza-tion Society, \$242.25.

second half of tax on part of lot 20 and improve-ments, in square No. 846, assessed to Christopher Arth, §8.22. Having a front of nineteen feet on Sixth street east, adjoining the south fourteen Second half of tax on lot 37 and improvements, in square No. 387, assessed to Christopher Arth, \$16.88. Second half of tax on part of lot 38 and improve-ments, in square No. 387, assessed to Christopher Arth, 813.12. Being the west eight feet four-inches front of said lot by the depth thereof. Whole tax on part of lot 3 and improvements, in

square west of square No. 14, assessed to David Armour, \$13.34. Being the north eight feet, eight inches front of said lot.

Second half of tax on sub lot 3 and improve ments, in square No. 151, assessed to Debora J Apple, \$10.80. Second half of tax on sub lot 4, in square No. 151; ussessed to Debora J. Apple, \$0.30. Whole tex on part of lot 2 and improvements, in square No. 734, assessed to Daniel Alman, \$18.51. Being the east forty-six feet front of said lot. Whole tax on lot 11, in square No. 996, assessed to David Armstrong, \$5.30. Whole tax on lot 12, in square No. 993, assessed to David Armstrong, \$6.70. Whole tax on lot 15, in square No. 1020, assessed to David Armstrong, \$10.37. Whole tax on lot 16, in square No. 1020, assessed to David Armstrong, \$12.26. Whole tax on lot 17, in square No. 1020, assessed to David Armstrong, \$12.26.

Second half of tax on sub lot 70 and improve-ments, in square No. 194, assessed to Edward ambler and John W. Lightfoot, \$13.72. Whole tax on sub lot 25 and improvements, in square No. 368, assessed to Edward P. Aistrop, Second half of tax on sub lot 32, in square No. 368, assessed to Edward P. Aistrop, \$8.96. Whole tax on part of lot 9 and improvements, in square No. 462, assessed to Esther R. Abraham, 856.69. Being the east twenty-five feet front of said lot by the depth thereof. Whole tax on part of lot 8 and improvements, square No. 960, assessed to Edward S. Atk son, \$12.7. Being the north twenty-one feet inches front of said lot by the depth thereof.

Whole tax on lot 18, in square No. 1020, assessed to David Armstrong, \$6.30.

Second half of tax on part of sub lot 4 and im-provements, in square No. 252, assessed to Francis A. Ashford, \$58.69. Being the west two eet front of said lot on New York avenue. Second half of tax on part of sub lot 5 and improvements, in square No. 252, assessed to Francis A. Ashford, \$3.07. Being the east twenty feet eleven inches front of sakl lot on New York avenue. Whole tax on part of lot 22, in square No. 801, assessed to Frances I. Austin, 29 cents. Being the cast twenty feet front of said lot. Whole tax on sub let A and improvements, he square No. 801, assessed to Frances I. Austin, §5.22.

Whole tax on part of lot 2 and improvements, in square No. 83 assessed to George Anthony, \$1.81. Having a front of twenty-five feet by the depth, adjoining the west twenty-four feet six inches of said lot. Whole tax on part of sub lot 16, in square No. 302, assessed to George W. Alexander, \$2.00. Being the north ten feet front of said lot by the depth thereof. Whole tax on part of sub lot 17, in square No. 302, assessed to George W. Alexander, \$1.90. Being the south ten feet front of said lot by the depth thereof.

Second half of tax on north half of lot 13 and im-provements, in square No. 459, assessed to Geo. F. Appleby, \$38.54. Whole tax on part of lot 6 and improvements, in square No. 346, assessed to George R. Adams, \$128.79. Being the south twenty-eight feet eight inches front of said lot by the depth thereof. Whole tax on part of sub lot 24, in square No 383, assessed to George R. Adams, \$5.13. Being the east six feet three inches front of said lot. Whole tax on part of sub-lot 25 and improvements, in square No. 383, assessed to George E. Adams, \$59.54.

Whole tax on sub lot 26, in square No. 383, as-sessed to George R. Adams, \$22.97. Whole tax on south half of lot 1 and impuments, in square No. 428, assessed to Go Aller, \$506.20. Whole tax on sub lot B and improvements, square No. 445, assessed to George Aile